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forming a fixing layer by coating a UV-setting type resin onto at least a part of the leading end portions of said leads and said piezoelectric resonator element; and

forming the connecting layer by injecting the conductive resin at least into the gap between said electrode and said leading end portions.--

--23. The method for manufacturing a piezoelectric resonator unit according to claim 22, said UV-setting type resin being coated onto a side of one lead facing an adjacent lead.--

--24. The method for manufacturing a piezoelectric resonator unit according to claim 21, prior to connecting said leading end portions to said electrode, said connecting layer being formed with the conductive resin coated onto said leading end portions or said electrode.--

--25. The method for manufacturing a piezoelectric resonator unit according to claim 21, further comprising forming a reinforcing layer with a conductive resin or a non-conductive resin coated so as to cover at least said connecting layer and the leading end portions of said leads.--

--26. The method for manufacturing a piezoelectric resonator according to claim 25, said conductive resin or non-conductive resin used in reinforcing having a higher viscosity than that of said conductive resin used in connecting.

REMARKS

Claims 1-26 are pending. By this Amendment, claims 1-14 are amended and claims 15-26 are added.

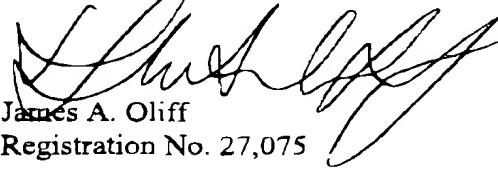
Applicant notes that amendments under Article 19 were filed in the international application. However, Applicant requests that the Article 19 amendments not be entered in the U. S. National Stage Application and that the preliminary amendments set forth above instead be entered.

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The above amendments place this Application in even better condition for initial examination. Prompt consideration and allowance in due course are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe anything further is desirable in order to place the Application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

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